GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
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PENDING PROJECTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of irrigation projects of Andhra Pradesh are pending for clearance by the Union Government;

(b) if so, the details of such projects; and

(c) the time by which the same are likely to be given clearance ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) & (b) 17 major / medium irrigation projects of Andhra Pradesh have been accepted by the Advisory Committee ofthe Ministry of Water Resources subject to certain observations, including environment and forest aspect while two major projects, in the process of examination and comments on various technical issues, have been sent to the State for compliance.

(c) Clearance of major / medium projects depends on resolution o f inter-state issues wherever involved and compliance of observations of various central appraising agencies by the State Government.